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Governor Charlie Baker’s Schedule for Tuesday, November 24, 2015

BOSTON – Tomorrow, Governor Charlie Baker will join the Secretaries of Labor and Workforce Development (LWD), Education (EOE), and Housing and Economic Development (HED) in Cambridge to announce a first round of initiatives proposed by the Workforce Skills Cabinet. The Cabinet, announced in February, is charged with creating and implementing a strategy to develop workforce skills to meet the varying needs of employers in the Commonwealth’s regions, today and in the future.

Governor Baker will next deliver remarks at the Team Massachusetts Economic Impact Awards luncheon in Boston, followed by the Retailers Association’s “Buy Local MA” event. Later, Governor Baker will join Attorney General Maura Healey and Chairman of the Joint Committee on the Judiciary Representative John Fernandes to sign a bill into law imposing stricter sentencing for trafficking of the opioid narcotic fentanyl. Immediately following the signing, Governor Baker will meet with Chris Herren, Founder of The Herren Project, to discuss the opioid epidemic and the Governor’s opioid legislation.

Tuesday, November 24, 2015:

Who: Governor Baker, LWD Secretary Walker, EOE Secretary Peyser, and HED Secretary Walker
What: Workforce Skills Cabinet Announcement
When: 10:30AM  
Where: Amazon, 101 Main Street – Suite 900, Cambridge, MA 02142  
Press: Open

Who: Governor Baker  
What: Remarks at Team Massachusetts Economic Impact Awards Luncheon  
When: 12:00PM  
Where: Renaissance Hotel, 606 Congress Street, Boston, MA 02210  
Press: Open

Who: Governor Baker  
What: Attends Retailer’s Association “Buy Local Massachusetts” Event  
When: 1:30PM  
Where: Faneuil Hall – Christmas Tree, 1 Faneuil Hall Square, Boston, MA 02109  
Press: Open

Who: Governor Baker, Attorney General Healey and Chairman Fernandes  
What: Ceremonial Signing of Bill Criminalizing Fentanyl Trafficking  
When: 3:45PM  
Where: Press Briefing Room, State House Room 157  
Press: Open

Who: Governor Baker  
What: Meeting with Chris Herren to Discuss Opioid Epidemic  
When: 4:15PM  
Where: Office of the Governor, State House Room 360  
Press: Meeting is closed press. Media availability to immediately follow.

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